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TO: RONALD P. BARRETT KING RADIO CORPORATION 400 N. ROGERS RD. OLATHE, KANSAS, 66061, U.S.A. TEL: (913) 782-0400

REF: YOUR CABLE OF MAY 16.

1. MALTA INTERNATIONAL AVIATION CO. LTD. IS THE ONLY ESTABLISHED ORGANISATION IN MALTA INVOLVED IN THE GENERAL OVERHAUL AND REPAIR OF AIRCRAFT. MALTA'S NATIONAL CARRIER, AIR MALTA, IS HOWEVER, NEGOTIATING WITH MIDDLE EAST AIRLINES ON THE SETTING UP OF A MAINTENANCE BASE IN MALTA FOR COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT. FURTHER INFORMATION ON THIS PROJECT CAN BE OBTAINED FROM MR. ALBERT MIZZI, CHAIRMAN, AIR MALTA, EUROPA CENTER, FLORIANA, MALTA.

2. YOU MIGHT ALSO BE INTERESTED TO LEARN THAT THE 8TH MALTA INTERNATIONAL AIR RALLY WILL BE HELD IN MALTA JUNE 19 THROUGH 22. THE PRIME MOVER BEHIND THIS EVENT, IS MR. JOHN W. SALIBA, HONORARY SECRETARY, MALTA INTERNATIONAL AIR RALLY COMMITTEE, UNCLASSIFIED

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3RD FLOOR, AIRWAYS HOUSE, HIGH STREET, SLIEMA, MALTA. THE ONLY MALTESE PARTICIPANT IN THIS YEAR'S RALLY WILL BE PAUL RIPARD, DIRECTOR, RIPARD, LARVAN AND RIPARD, LTD. 156 TA' XBIEX COAST ROAD, TA' XBIEX, MALTA. MR. RIPARD, WHO IS A LEADING LOCAL IMPORTER OF MARINE AND NAVIGATIONAL EQUIPMENT AND AGENT FOR PIPER AIRCRAFT CORP., IS RECOMMENDED AS A USEFUL CONTACT.

3. WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU JUNE 23. LAINGEN

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